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WIRELESS DEVICE

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| 106 330 206 165 Design filing fee | 121 | 280 | 221 | 140 | Request for oral hearing | | |
| 107 510 207 255 Plant filing fee | 138 | 1,510 | 138 | 1,510 | Petition to institute a public use proceeding | <u> </u> | |
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